



**Australian Government**  
**Anti-Dumping Review Panel**

*Customs Act 1901*

Notice under section 269ZZI

**STEEL REINFORCING BAR exported from THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA,  
SINGAPORE, SPAIN and TAIWAN.**

The Anti-Dumping Review Panel has received applications from Best Bar Pty Ltd, Nervacero S.A and OneSteel Manufacturing Pty Ltd for a review of a decision by the Parliamentary Secretary under sections 269TG(1) and (2) of the *Customs Act 1901* (the Act) made on 19 November 2015, to publish a dumping duty notice in respect of STEEL REINFORCING BAR (Rebar) exported from THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, SINGAPORE, SPAIN and TAIWAN (the Reviewable Decision).

The grounds raised in the applications for the Reviewable Decision not being the correct or preferable decision include but are not limited to:

- (a) Whether Rebar exported by Nervacero S.A. had been dumped and, if so, whether the level of any dumping, should have been determined using export prices and normal values determined for Nervacero S.A.
- (b) The exportation of Rebar by Nervacero S.A cannot be found to have caused injury to OneSteel.
- (c) Imports of Rebar from Singapore did not cause material injury to the Australian industry producing like goods, and so there was no basis for the Parliamentary Secretary to make the Reviewable Decision.
- (d) The Parliamentary Secretary cannot reasonably find that the information supplied by the exporter, NatSteel Holdings Pte Ltd is reliable within the meaning of subsection 269TAC(7) of the Act;
- (e) The Parliamentary Secretary, has erred in her determination of the normal value under paragraph 269TAC(2)(c) of the Act by accounting for a "normalisation adjustment" to the exporter, NatSteel's, cost of production or manufacture of Rebar in the country of export.
- (f) The Parliamentary Secretary has erred in working out an amount to be the profit on the sale of goods for the purposes of subparagraph 269TAC(2)(c)(ii) of the Act and under paragraph (a) of subregulation 45(3) of the *Customs (International Obligations) Regulation 2015*.
- (g) The Parliamentary Secretary has erred in her calculation of the profit on the sale of goods by Wei Chih Steel Industrial Co., Ltd (Wei Chih) in the Taiwanese domestic market.
- (h) The Parliamentary Secretary has failed or refused to make necessary adjustments to the normal value determined for Wei Chih under subsection 269TAC(9) of the Act.

The Reviewable Decision was published on the Anti-Dumping Commission (the ADC) website on 19 November 2015.

The goods to which the applications relate are:

Hot-rolled deformed steel reinforcing bar whether or not in coil form, commonly identified as rebar or debar, in various diameters up to and including 50 millimetres, containing indentations, ribs, grooves or other deformations produced during the rolling process.

The goods covered by these applications include all steel reinforcing bar meeting the above description of the goods regardless of the particular grade or alloy content or coating.

Goods excluded from these applications are plain round bar, stainless steel and reinforcing mesh.

The Anti-Dumping Review Panel proposes to conduct a review of the Reviewable Decision. Interested parties may make submissions to the Panel within **30 days** from the date of publication of this notice.

Submissions may be emailed to [ADRP@industry.gov.au](mailto:ADRP@industry.gov.au). Submissions may also be posted to:

the Anti-Dumping Review Panel  
c/o ADRP Secretariat, Legal, Audit and Assurance Branch  
Department of Industry and Science  
GPO Box 9839  
ACT 2600 Australia.

Persons wishing to make further inquiries about this review should telephone (02) 6276 1781. Copies of the applications for review, which set out the full grounds for seeking review and other documents are available on the public record of the review at [www.adreviewpanel.gov.au](http://www.adreviewpanel.gov.au)

The reports of the original investigation are available on the ADC's website at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au)

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